SAL 101 Introduction to Student and Academic Life and Student Success









Student and Academic Life

- Bias Incident Support Services
- Campus Recreation & Wellness
- Chellgren Center
- Community of Concern
- Counseling Center
- Dean of Students Office
- Disability Resource Center
- First-Generation Student Advising
- Fraternity & Sorority Life
- Gaines Center
- K Week
- Leadership Education
- Off-campus Student Advising
- Parent and Family Association
- Residence Life

- Service Learning
- Stuckert Career Center
- Student and Academic Support
- Student Conduct
- Student Financial Wellness Center
- Student Organizations & Activities
- Student Services Center
- Transformative Learning
- UK 101 Academic Orientation Course
- Veterans Resource Center
- Violence Intervention & Prevention Center

June and July



June and July

- Getting ready
- Setting up a new living space
- Some fear and anxiety
- Time for goal-setting conversations
- What resources does your student anticipate needing?





Why take UK 101?

- Learn how to succeed in college
- Small class setting
- 1 credit hour
- Students who take UK 101 are more likely to become sophomores.

Topics include:

- Time management
- Financial literacy
- Campus resources
- Stress and wellness
- Academic expectations









Parent & Family Association

- Open to all parents, guardians, grandparents, and family members
- Membership is FREE!
- See the brochure in your folder to activate your free membership, and stop by the PFA table to pick up free goodies!





PFA Programs and Services

- Cat Chat emails and Cat Chat Live!
- K Week reception: Aug. 21
- Family Weekend: Sept. 13-15
- Student events
 - First Day of School Photos
 - Big Blue Thank You
- Parent Advisory Council
- Website and social media
- And more!





Contact the Parent and Family Association



859-257-2752

parents@lsv.uky.edu

www.uky.edu/parents



Follow us @UKparents



Well-Being Online Educational Programs

- <u>Mandatory</u>
 - AlcoholEdu substance abuse education
 - Sexual Assault Prevention for Undergraduates
 - Important Dates
 - Monday, July 15 Site goes active
 - Monday, August 26 Deadline for Part One
 - Monday, October 28 Deadline for Part Two
 - Failure to complete by the deadlines will result in academic holds.
 - Students will receive an email with more information they need to check their UK email regularly!
- <u>Optional</u>
 - iGrad Financial Wellness (www.uky.edu/financialwellness/igrad)

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- Homesickness
- New living situation
- Responsibility
- Forming new relationships
- Maintaining old relationships
- New academic environment

August





Counseling Center

106 Frazee Hall

859-257-8701

Monday – Friday,

8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Phone consultations



Walk-in assessments 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

www.uky.edu/counselingcenter



K Week: August 21 – 25

Five days designed to help students transition to UK:

- Second step in orientation process
- Attendance taken at some events
- Activities for families
- K Teams
- More information coming this summer
- www.uky.edu/KWeek
- KWeek@lsv.uky.edu
- Download our mobile app in UK Guides





Getting Involved







THE BLUEPRINT

















The Blueprint

- Small groups based on shared hobbies and interests
- 20 options to choose from sign up for 1 or 2
- Meet at least five times during the fall semester
- Gatherings coordinated by a K Crew student leader
- Sign up at www.uky.edu/blueprint until Sept. 6
- Makes meeting like-minded peers easy!











September

- Time management
- Balancing academic and social
- Encourage use of campus resources
- Encourage staying on campus
- Attend Family Weekend









Student Well-Being Unit Core Values

- Encourage and train students on <u>RESILIENCE</u> to stressors and setbacks.
- Provide students with resources that enable them to develop/increase <u>COMPASSION</u> for self and others.
- Provide students with various opportunities to engage in <u>HEALTHY COPING</u> <u>MECHANISMS</u>.



Mental Well-Being

- Disability Resource Center
 - Register with the DRC as soon as possible. Success in high school without accommodations may not mean success in college without them.
- Counseling Center
 - Confidential, 1:1 counseling; group counseling; outreach programs to normalize dialogues on mental health
- Addressing Stress, Anxiety, and Depression
 - Depression Screening Day (fall and spring semesters)
 - Relaxation Rooms (Counseling Center and College of Nursing)
 - Koru Mindfulness Workshops
 - Mental Health First Aid Certification
 - Exercise Referral Program



A National Problem

National statistics on college student alcohol abuse (ages 18-24):

- 1,825 deaths
- 690,000 assaults
- 97,000 sexual assaults



- National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (2017), **College Drinking** *Fact Sheet*



Our Response

- WellKentucky.org
- Mind/Body Skills Development Workshops
- Recovery Community
- Youth Outreach
- Student Leadership Opportunities







Contact Student Well-Being



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Media Depot Location: Basement Resource Type: Academic Website Link		
The Hub Location: Basement Resource Type: Academic Website Link		
Writing Center		



Family Weekend



September 13 – 15 Book botols powl

Book hotels now!

Schedule of events includes:

- Family Weekend tailgate party (*tickets on sale now!*)
- UK football game (tickets on sale July 8)
- UK Dining Bluegrass Brunch
- Lunch at Spindletop (tickets on sale now!)
- Athletic and cultural events
- Exploring Lexington
- Much more!
- T-shirts sold separately (pre-purchase now)

October



October

- Increasing academic stress
- Encourage use of academic resources
- Midterm exams and final drop deadline
- Fall break
- Office hours
- Academic alerts
- Meet with academic advisor
- Complete FAFSA for following year





Pop Quiz: Important Dates

- AlcoholEdu and SAPU Part One
 - August 26
- Move-in
 - August 17, 19, or 21
- K Week
 - August 21 25
- Family Weekend
 - September 13–15



9 November



November

- Increasing academic pressure
- Procrastination
- Looming deadlines
- Stress
- Encourage good personal wellness
- Financial concerns
- Students need to take responsibility and ask for help.



December



December

- Stress of final exams
 - www.uky.edu/Registrar/calendar
- Returning home for break
- Discuss expectations for break
- Communicate about break plans and holidays
- Encourage stress-reducing activities





Final Exam

- What do you need to activate to stay informed about campus resources and events?
 - Your free Parent and Family Association membership
- When will PFA members begin receiving Cat Chat emails?
 - August
- What does your student need to be checking regularly throughout the summer?
 - UK email **IMPORTANT!!**



Final Exam

- We encourage you to have goal-setting conversations with your Wildcat now and throughout their time at UK. What types of questions should you include?
 - a) What GPA do you want to earn this semester?
 - b) What study habits will it take to earn that GPA?
 - c) What campus resources can help you achieve success?

d) All of the above

- What's the next step in the orientation process?
 - a) "see blue." U
 - b) Kentucky Welcome

K Week

d) Wildcat Welcome

Course Evaluation